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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
KOJI KIKUCHI) : Examiner: A. Mirza
Application No.: 09/675,002) : Group Art Unit: 2145
Filed: September 29, 2000) :
For: DATA PROCESSING)
APPARATUS : January 18, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2005, the period for response to which having been extended to January 19, 2006 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time with fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows: